

CENTRAL FLINT HILLS REGION
EMPLOYMENT OPPORTUNITY / HOUSING / SCHOOLS / AND CHILDCARE PROVIDERS
FACT SHEET

FORT RILEY

1. Number of employers located on Fort Riley: There are five (5) major employers and seven (7) contract employers located on Fort Riley.
 - Civilian Personnel Advisory Center (CPAC): Provide assistance with job information.
 - Point of contact: CPAC main telephone is 785-239-6004 and we are located in building 319 Marshall Avenue. Hours of operation is M-Friday 7:00 a.m. – 4:00 p.m. Closed 12:00 – 1:00 p.m. daily and 12:00 – 3:00 p.m. Wednesdays.
 - Irwin Army Community Hospital (Resource Management Division): Employment services provided.
 - Point of contact: IACH main telephone is 785-239-7094/7393 and we are located in building 609E 3rd Street, Fort Riley, KS 66442
 - DECA (Commissary)
 - Point of contact: DECA main telephone is 785-239-0518/0519 and we are located in Bldg 2310 Trooper Drive, Fort Riley, KS 66442
 - AAFES (Army Air Force Exchange System)
 - Point of contact: AAFES main telephone is 785-784-4430 and we are located in building 222 Custer Avenue, Fort Riley, KS 66442
 - Armed Forces Bank
 - Point of contact: Armed Forces Bank main telephone is 785-784-2500 and we are located in building 5303 Custer Hill, PO Box 2446, Fort Riley, KS 66442
2. Types of jobs on Fort Riley: Human Resources, Budget Analyst, Social Workers, Medical Officer, Nursing, Physician Assistant, Health Systems Assistant, Optometrist, Marriage and Family Therapist, Range Operations, IT Specialist, Security Guards, Training Coordinator, Cooks, Sales Clerks, Bartender, Recreation Assistant, and Child and Youth Program Assistant.
3. Access to job information and employment services on Fort Riley can be found by going to:
 - <http://www.cpol.army.mil> Federal Civilian Employment
 - <http://www.usajobs.opm.gov> Federal Agencies
 - <http://iach.amedd.army.mil> Medical Employment
 - <http://www.commissaries.com> Commissary Employment
 - <http://www.aafes.com> Army Air Force Exchange Service
 - <http://www.afbank.com> Armed Forces Bank Employment
 - <http://www.riley.army.mil> Fort Riley Homepage
 - http://www.acap.army.mil/centers_webs/25/Contractor%20Opportunities.pdf Contractors Employment
4. Access to housing information: Access to housing information can be found by contacting Picerne Military Housing (on post family) at 785-717-2200 or the housing office (single Soldiers and off-post) at 785-239-2200.

5. Cost of living on Fort Riley:

Cities:	Food	Utilities	Miscellaneous	Overall	United States
Fort Riley	95	88	94	86	100

Our cost of living indices are based on a US average of 100. An amount below 100 means Fort Riley, KS is cheaper than the US average. A cost of living index above 100 means Fort Riley, KS is more expensive. Overall, Fort Riley, KS cost of living is 86. Source:

http://www.bestplaces.net/county/kansas/fort_riley_noi

6. Number and types of schools available on Fort Riley: There 5 elementary schools and 1 middle school located on Fort Riley.

Custer Hill Elementary School
6344 Hampton Place
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-4320

Fort Riley Elementary School
104 Morris Ave.
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-4450

Morris Hill Elementary School
4410 1st Division Road
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-4650

Ware Elementary School
6975 Thomas Avenue
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-4600

Jefferson Elementary School
4720 Jackson Ave.
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-4550

Seitz Elementary School
27500 Rifle Range Rd.
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-6500

Fort Riley Middle School
4020 1st Division Road
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-4500

7. Types of childcare providers available on Fort Riley:

1st Division Child Development Center
4012 1st Division Road
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-239-9011
5:45 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Warren Road Child Development Center
6950 Warren Road
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-239-9929/9935
5:45 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Warren East Child Development Center
6981 Warren Road
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-240-0822
7:30 a.m. - 5:00 p.m.

Normandy Drive Child Development Center
6620A&B Normandy Drive
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-240-2362/2368
5:45 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Forsyth East Child Development Center
2420 H. Street
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-240-5820
5:45 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Whitside Child Development Center
676 3rd Street
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-239-4978/4980
5:45 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

Forsyth Child Development Center
2410 3rd Street
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-239-4846/4848
5:45 a.m. - 6:00 p.m.

CLAY COUNTY

1. Number of employers within the county: There are more than 86 employers located in Clay County. The majority of the employers can be found in Clay Center, Wakefield and Clifton.
2. Types of jobs within the county: Jobs range from Daycare workers, Banking, Customer Service workers, Construction work, Real Estate & Insurance, Bakery, Food Market, Plumbing, Art Design, Farm Bureau, Pottery, Grain, Livestock, Welding, Water Plant, Decorating, Trucking Services, Auto Repair, Roofing, Manufacturing, Medical, Education, Hair Stylist, Cosmetics, Insurance and Consulting.
3. Access to job information and employers within the county: Job information can be accessed at <http://www.jobster.com/find/US/jobs/by/county/KS/Clay?location=Clay+County%2C+KS> or <http://www.kansasworks.com/>.
4. Access to housing information within the county: Housing information can be accessed at http://www.homes.com/Real_Estate/KS/County/Clay or <http://www.apartmentratings.com/rate/KS.html>.
5. Cost of living within the county:

Cities:	Food	Utilities	Miscellaneous	Overall	United States
Clay Center	92	89	96	81	100
Clifton	91	86	99	76	100
Green	92	89	96	81	100
Longford	92	89	96	80	100
Morganville	92	89	96	83	100
Oakhill	92	89	96	80	100
Vining	92	89	96	76	100
Wakefield	92	89	96	85	100

Our cost of living indices are based on a US average of 100. An amount below 100 means Clay County, KS is cheaper than the US average. A cost of living index above 100 means Clay County, KS is more expensive. Overall, Clay County, KS cost of living is 80.25. Source: <http://www.bestplaces.net/county/kansas/clay>

6. Number and types of schools available within the county: There are 6 elementary schools, 1 middle school, and 2 high schools located in Clay County.

Clay Center Community High School
1630 9th Street
Clay Center, KS 67432-2299
Phone: 785-632-2131

Clay Center Community Middle School
935 Prospect Street
Clay Center, KS 67432-1849
Phone: 785-632-3129

Lincoln Elementary School
1020 Grant
Clay Center, KS 67432-3100
Phone: 785-632-2156

Garfield Elementary School
815 4th Street
Clay Center, KS 67432-2500
Phone: 785-632-2125

Green Elementary School
501 North Street
Green, KS 67447-0128
Phone: 785-944-3324

Longford Elementary School
322 Weda Street
Longford, KS 67458-0187
Phone: 785-388-2322

Morganville Elementary School
307 Main
Morganville, KS 67468-0074
Phone: 785-926-3564

Wakefield Elementary School
502 Third Street PO Box 40
Wakefield, KS 67487-0040
Phone: 785-461-5437

Wakefield High School
502 Third
Wakefield, KS 67487-0040
Phone: 785-461-5437

7. Types of daycare providers available in Clay County:

Ashley Gordon Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-630-0866

Aunt Jan Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-632-3649

Dearman Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-632-6038

Diane Peck Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-632-6112

Grandmas Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-777-2155

Jennifer R Begnoche Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-632-5381

Kiddie Korner Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-632-3728

Kidz Connection Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-632-3301

Lil' Treasurers Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-632-6313

Marguerite Collette Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-632-5255

Moore Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-632-3650

Pamela Kay Lilley Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-447-2797

Reneas Kids Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-632-5224

Sara Jane Brockman
Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-632-5972

Walleeta Bergsten Day Care
Clay Center, KS 67432
Phone: 785-632-2551

RILEY COUNTY

1. Number of employers within the county: Manhattan's economy is heavily based on governmentally-funded entities. Kansas State University is the largest employer in town, and its 23,000 students support the retail and entertainment venues in the city. The second-largest employer in Manhattan is the city school district. Additionally, nearby Fort Riley also brings in lots of retail business, although the majority of soldiers live either on post or in closer Junction City or Ogden. Other large employers in Manhattan include the Mercy Regional Health Center and Farm Bureau. Manhattan also supports a small industrial base. Manufacturing and commercial businesses include: GTM Sportswear, Florence Manufacturing, ICE Corporation, Manko Windows, The McCall Pattern Company and Farrar Corporation. Some, like GTM and Farrar have had success in the city – as college towns are known to outlive and sustain economic recessions better than most towns due to their economic base.
2. Types of jobs within the county: Jobs range from Daycare workers, Banking, Customer Service workers, Construction work, Real Estate & Insurance, Bakery, Food Market, Plumbing, Art Design, Farm Bureau, Welding, Water Plant, Decorating, Trucking Services, Auto Repair, Roofing, Manufacturing, Medical, Education, Sales, Hair Stylist, Cosmetics, Insurance and Consulting.
3. Access to job information and employers within the county: Access to job information can be found by going to <http://www.rileycountyks.gov> , <http://www.themercury.com> or <http://www.kansasworks.com/>.
4. Access to housing information within the county: Access to housing information can be found by going to http://www.homes.com/Real_Estate/KS/County/RILEY or <http://www.apartmentratings.com/rate/KS.html>.
5. Cost of living within the county:

Cities:	Food	Utilities	Miscellaneous	Overall	United States
Manhattan	95	88	94	90	100
Leonardville	95	88	94	83	100
Ogden	95	88	94	84	100
Randolph	95	88	94	92	100
Riley	95	88	94	90	100

Our cost of living indices are based on a US average of 100. An amount below 100 means Riley County, KS is cheaper than the US average. A cost of living index above 100 means Riley County, KS is more expensive. Overall, Riley County, KS cost of living is 87.8. Source: <http://www.bestplaces.net/county/kansas/riley>

6. Number and types of schools available within the county: There are 11 elementary schools, 3 middle schools, 3 high schools, and Manhattan Catholic Schools K-8 located in Riley County.

Amanda Arnold Elementary School
1435 Hudson Ave.
Manhattan, KS 66503
Phone: 785-587-2020

Bluemount Elementary School
714 Bluemount Ave.
Manhattan, KS 66503
Phone: 785-587-2030

Frank V. Bergman Elementary School
3430 Lombard
Manhattan, KS 66503
Phone: 785-587-2869

Lee Elementary School
701 Lee Street
Manhattan, KS 66502
Phone: 785-587-2050

Marlatt Elementary School
2715 Hobbs Drive
Manhattan, KS 66502
Phone: 785-587-2060

North View Elementary School
300 Griffith Drive
Manhattan, KS 66502
Phone: 785-587-2070

Ogden Elementary School
PO Box 851, 210 Elm Street
Ogden, KS 66517
Phone: 785-587-2085

Theodore Roosevelt Elementary School
1401 Houston Street
Manhattan, KS 66502
Phone: 785-587-2090

Woodrow Wilson Elementary School
312 N. Juliette Ave.
Manhattan, KS 66502
Phone: 785-587-2170

Anthony Middle School
2501 Browning Ave.
Manhattan, KS 66502
Phone: 785-587-2890

Eisenhower Middle School
800 Walters Drive
Manhattan, KS 66502
Phone: 785-587-2880

Manhattan High School
901 Poyntz Ave.
Manhattan, KS 66502
Phone: 785-587-2150

Olsburg Elementary School
PO Box 68, First Street
Olsburg, KS 66520
Phone: 785-468-3551/3526

Randolph Middle School
PO Box 38, 3 Ram Way
Randolph, KS 66554
Phone: 785-293-5253/5251

Blue Valley High School
PO Box 68 2 Ram Way
Randolph, KS 66554
Phone: 785-293-5255/5264

Manhattan Catholic Schools, K-8
306 S Juliette
Manhattan, KS 66502
Phone: 785-293-5255/5264

7. Types of daycare providers available in Riley County:

Manhattan Day Care 901 Yuma Street Manhattan, KS 66502 Phone: 785-539-3688	S & J Day Care 5704 Anderson Ave. Manhattan, KS 66502 Phone: 785-537-9383	Woodmansee's Day Care 429 Shelle Road Manhattan, KS 66502 Phone: 785-776-0996
Daria's Day Care 3310 Valleywood Manhattan, KS 66502 Phone: 785-532-9182	College Ave. Infant Toddler 1609 College Ave. Manhattan, KS 66502 Phone: 785-539-6885	Manhattan Day Care & Learning 121 North 6th Street Manhattan, KS 66502 Phone: 785-776-5071
Kinder Care Learning Center 1205 Hylton Heights Road Manhattan, KS 66502 Phone: 785-539-7540		

POTTAWATOMIE COUNTY

1. Number of employers within the county: There are more than 47 employers located in Pottawatomie County.
2. Types of jobs within the county: Jobs range from Daycare workers, Banking, Customer Service workers, Construction work, Real Estate & Insurance, Bakery, Food Market, Plumbing, Art Design, Farm Bureau, Pottery, Grain, Livestock, Welding, Water Plant, Decorating, Trucking Services, Auto Repair, Roofing, Manufacturing, Hair Stylist, Cosmetics, Insurance and Consulting.
3. Access to job information and employers within the county: Job information can be accessed at <http://www.pottcounty.org> or <http://www.kansasworks.com/>
4. Access to housing information: Access to housing information can be found by going to http://www.homes.com/Real_Estate/KS/County/POTTAWATOMIE or <http://www.apartmentratings.com/rate/KS.html>
5. Cost of living within the county:

Cities:	Food	Utilities	Miscellaneous	Overall	United States
Olsburg	96	89	95	84	100
Onaga	96	89	95	78	100
St. George	96	89	95	87	100
St. Marys	96	89	95	86	100
Wamego	96	89	95	87	100
Westmoreland	96	89	95	83	100

Our cost of living indices are based on a US average of 100. An amount below 100 means Pottawatomie, KS is cheaper than the US average. A cost of living index above 100 means Pottawatomie, KS is more expensive. Overall, Pottawatomie County, KS cost of living is 84.1. Source: <http://www.bestplaces.net/county/kansas/pottawatomie>

6. Number and types of schools available within the county: There are 5 elementary schools, 4 middle schools, 1 Christian school and 6 high schools located in Pottawatomie County.

Olsburg Elementary School
P O Box 68, First Street
Olsburg, KS 66520
Phone: 785-468-3551

Randolph Middle School
P O Box 38, 3 Ram Way
Randolph, KS 66554
Phone: 785-293-5253

Blue Valley High School
PO Box 68, 2 Ram Way
Randolph, KS 66554
Phone: 785-293-5255

Rock Creek Jr/Sr High School
9355 Flush Road
St. George, KS 66535
Phone: 785-494-8591

St. George Elementary School
PO Box 31, 200 Blackjack Road
St. George, KS 66535
Phone: 785-494-2482

Westmoreland Elementary School
PO Box 350, 205 S 4th Street
Westmoreland, KS 66549
Phone: 785-457-3462

Rossville Grade School
PO Box 248, 312 E Pottawatomie
Rossville, KS 66533
Phone: 785-584-6188

Rossville Jr/Sr High School
PO Box 68, 800 S Main
Rossville, KS 66533
Phone: 785-584-6378

St. Marys Grade School
312 Grand Ave.
St. Marys, KS 66536
Phone: 785-437-6159

St. Marys Jr/Sr High School
601 E Lasley
St. Marys, KS 66536
Phone: 785-437-6257

Central Elementary School
700 Poplar Street
Wamego, KS 66547
Phone: 785-456-7271

West Elementary School
1911 6th Street
Wamego, KS 66547
Phone: 785-456-8333

Wamego Middle School
1701 Kaw Valley Road
Wamego, KS 66547
Phone: 785-456-2944

Wamego High School
801 Lincoln
Wamego, KS 66547
Phone: 785-456-2214

Onaga High School
500 High Street
Onaga, KS 66521
Phone: 785-889-4251

Flint Hills Christian School
3905 Green Valley Road
Manhattan KS 66502
Phone: 785-776-2223

7. Types of home daycare providers available in Pottawatomie County:

Cheryl's Day Care St. Marys, KS 66536 Phone: 785-437-3055	Crafty Critters Day Care Wamego, KS 66547 Phone: 785-456-7298	Dora's Day Care St. George, KS 66535 Phone: 785-494-2475
Kid's Castle Day Care Wamego, KS 66547 Phone: 785-456-1883	Little Treasures Day Care Wamego, KS 66547 Phone: 785-458-9965	Little Love Bug Day Care Wamego, KS 66547 Phone: 785-456-2670
Kids Korner Day Care Olsburg, KS 66520 Phone: 785-468-3303	Reid Day Care LLC 11575 Military Trail Rd St. George, KS 66535 Phone: 785-494-7343	Kids Country Childcare 11445 Adam Creek Rd. Wamego, KS 66547 Phone: 785-456-1355

WABAUNSEE COUNTY

1. Number of employers within the county: There are more than 224 employers located in Wabaunsee County.
2. Types of jobs within the county: Jobs range from Daycare workers, Banking, Customer Service workers, Construction work, Real Estate & Insurance, Bakery, Food Market, Plumbing, Art Design, Farm Bureau, Pottery, Grain, Livestock, Welding, Water Plant, Decorating, Trucking Services, Auto Repair, Roofing, Manufacturing, Hair Stylist, Cosmetics, Insurance, Communications, Consulting, and Maintenance and Repair.
3. Access to job information and employers within the county: Job information can be accessed at <http://www.pottcounty.org> or <http://www.kansasworks.com/>
4. Access to housing information: Access to housing information can be found by going to http://www.homes.com/Real_Estate/KS/County/WABAUNSEE or <http://www.apartmentratings.com/rate/KS.html>
5. Cost of living within the county:

Cities:	Food	Utilities	Miscellaneous	Overall	United States
Alma	93	81	100	84	100
Alta Vista	93	81	100	81	100
Eskridge	93	81	100	81	100
Harveyville	93	81	100	84	100
Maple Hill	93	81	100	90	100
McFarland	93	81	100	84	100
Paxico	93	81	100	84	100
Willard	95	83	102	94	100

Our cost of living indices are based on a US average of 100. An amount below 100 means Wabaunsee County, KS is cheaper than the US average. A cost of living index above 100 means Wabaunsee County, KS is more expensive. Overall, Wabaunsee County, KS cost of living is 85.25. Source: <http://www.bestplaces.net/county/kansas/wabaunsee>

6. Number and types of schools available within the county: There are 4 elementary schools, 3 middle schools, and 2 high schools located in Wabaunsee County.

Alma Grade School
215 E 9th Street
Alma, KS 66401
Phone: 785-765-3349

Wabaunsee Senior High School
912 Missouri
Alma, KS 66401
Phone: 785-765-3315

St. John Lutheran School
PO Box 368
Alma, KS 66401
Phone: 785-765-3914

Prairie Heights Middle School
Rr 2 Box A
Alta Vista, KS 66834
Phone: 785-499-6313

Mission Valley High School
12685 Mission Valley Rd Ste A
Eskridge, KS 66423
Phone: 785-449-2297

Mission Valley West Elementary School
406 E 2nd Street
Eskridge, KS 66423-0006
Phone: 785-449-2281

Mission Valley Middle School
13946 Harveyville, Road
Harveyville, KS 66431
Phone: 785-589-2542

Maple Hill Elementary School
3rd & Pierce
Maple Hill, KS 66507-0068
Phone: 785-256-4223

Mill Creek Valley Junior High School
112 Elm
Paxico, KS 66526-0128
Phone: 785-636-5353

7. Types of home daycare providers available in Wabaunsee County:

Brenda's Day Care
Alma, KS 66401
Phone: 785-765-2439

Krista Hurla Day Care
Maple Hill, KS 66507
Phone: 785-256-4467

Lil' Vikings Day Care
Eskridge, KS 66423
Phone: 785-449-2828

Sherri E. Jacobson Day Care Home
Eskridge, KS 66423
Phone: 785-449-2269

MORRIS COUNTY

1. Number of employers within the county: There are more than 15 employers located in Morris County.
2. Types of jobs within the county: Jobs in Morris County range from Electric Power, Plastics Plant, Marketing Company, Manufacturing High Temperature Ceramic Insulation, Engine Rebuilding Equipment, Custom Cabinet Maker, Monarch Molding, US Stone Industries, Black Power Company, Engine Rebuilding & Automotive Maintenance, Dream Steamer, Producer of Living Plants & Flowers, Farm Equipment, Masonry work, and Construction.
3. Access to job information and employers within the county: Access to job information can be found at <http://www.morriscountyks.org> or <http://www.kansasworks.com/>
4. Access to housing information: Access to housing information can be found by going to http://www.homes.com/Real_Estate/KS/County/MORRIS or <http://www.apartmentratings.com/rate/KS.html>
5. Cost of living within Morris County:

Cities:	Food	Utilities	Miscellaneous	Overall	United States
Council Grove	92	86	98	80	100
White City	92	86	98	78	100
Dwight	92	86	98	78	100
Wilsey	92	86	98	77	100
Dunlap	92	86	98	84	100
Parkerville	92	86	98	83	100
Latimer	92	86	98	83	100

Our cost of living indices are based on a US average of 100. An amount below 100 means Morris County, KS is cheaper than the US average. A cost of living index above 100 means Morris County, KS is more expensive. Overall, Morris County, KS cost of living is 80.4. Source: <http://www.bestplaces.net/county/kansas/morris>

6. Number and types of schools within the county: There are 3 elementary schools and 2 high schools located in Morris County.

Council Grove Elementary School
706 E Main
Council Grove, KS 66846
Phone: 620-767-6851/6351

Council Grove High School
129 Hockaday
Council Grove, KS 66846
Phone: 620-767-5149

White City Elementary School
414 Goodnow
White City, KS 66872-0008
Phone: 785-349-2211

Prairie Heights Elementary School
9th & Cypress
Dwight, KS 66849
Phone: 785-482-3224

White City High School
 414 E Goodnow
 White City, KS 66872-0008
 Phone: 785-349-2211

7. Types of Day Care providers available in Morris County:

Building Blocks Community Childcare
 300 N Union Street Ste A
 Council Grove, KS 66846
 Phone: 620-767-8029

Aunt Boo's Learning Center
 917 E Main Street
 Council Grove, KS 66846
 Phone: 620-767-6003

Herington Community Learning Center
 20 N Broadway
 Herington, KS 67449
 Phone: 785-258-2046

DICKINSON COUNTY

1. Number of employers within the county: There are more than 182 employers located in Dickinson County.
2. Types of jobs within the county: Jobs range from Daycare workers, Banking, Customer Service workers, Construction work, Real Estate & Insurance, Bakery, Food Market, Plumbing, Art Design, Farm Bureau, Pottery, Grain, Livestock, Welding, Water Plant, Decorating, Trucking Services, Auto Repair, Roofing, Manufacturing, Hair Stylist, Cosmetics, Insurance, Communications, Consulting, and Maintenance and Repair.
3. Access to job information and employers within the county: Access to job information in Dickinson County can found by going to <http://www.dkcoks.org/index.aspx?nid=134> or <http://www.kansasworks.com/>
4. Access to housing information: Access to housing information can be found by going to http://www.homes.com/Real_Estate/KS/County/DICKINSON or <http://www.apartmentratings.com/rate/KS.html>
5. Cost of living within Dickinson County:

Cities:	Food	Utilities	Miscellaneous	Overall	United States
Abilene	91	89	100	85	100
Chapman	91	89	100	86	100
Enterprise	91	89	100	81	100
Herington	91	89	100	78	100
Hope	91	89	100	82	100
Manchester	91	89	100	83	100
Solomon	90	90	92	102	100

Our cost of living indices are based on a US average of 100. An amount below 100 means Dickinson County, KS is cheaper than the US average. A cost of living index above 100 means Dickinson County, KS is more expensive. Overall, Dickinson County, KS cost of living is 85.28. Source: <http://www.bestplaces.net/county/kansas/dickinson>

6. Number and types of schools available within the county: There are 12 elementary schools, 4 middle schools, and 5 high schools located in Dickinson County.

Blue Ridge Elementary School
1539 Hwy. 18
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-598-2226

Kennedy Elementary School
1501 N Kuney
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-1088

McKinley Elementary School
112 N Rogers
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-2311

Rural Center Elementary School
902 1400 Ave.
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-479-2213

St. Andrews Elementary School
301 S Buckeye Ave.
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-2453

Abilene Middle School
500 Northwest 14th Street
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-1471

Abilene Baptist Academy
409 N Van Buren
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-1032

Abilene High School
1300 N Cedar
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-1260

Chapman Elementary School
PO Box 248, 500 Irish Drive
Chapman, KS 67431
Phone: 785-922-7171

Garfield Elementary School
300 N W 7th Street
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-1643

Chapman High School
400 W 4th Street
Chapman, KS 67431
Phone: 785-922-6561

Chapman Middle School
622 N Marshall
Chapman, KS 67431
Phone: 785-922-6555

Enterprise Elementary School
PO Box 247, 302 S Court
Enterprise, KS 67441
Phone: 785-263-8248

Enterprise SDA Middle School
PO Box 367, 109 W 6th Street
Enterprise, KS 67441
Phone: 785-263-8936

Herington Elementary School
201 E Hawley
Herington, KS 67449
Phone: 785-258-3234

Herington Middle School
1317 N D Street
Herington, KS 67449
Phone: 785-258-2448

Herington High School
1401 N D Street
Herington, KS 67449
Phone: 785-258-2261

Hope Elementary School
200 Poplar Street
Hope, KS 67451
Phone: 785-366-7221

Hope High School
200 Poplar Street
Hope, KS 67451
Phone: 785-366-7221

Solomon Elementary School
411 N Pine
Solomon, KS 67480
Phone: 785-655-2521

Solomon High School
409 N Pine
Solomon, KS 67480
Phone: 785-655-2551

7. Types of daycare providers available in Dickinson County:

Head Start
Enterprise, KS 67441
Phone: 785-263-8188

Herington Early Learning
Herington, KS 67449
Phone: 785-258-2787

Angela D. Strunk Day Care
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-0553

Angie's Day Care
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-4533

Berta's Day Care
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-1161

Friends and Pals Day Care Center
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-2833

Country Beginnings
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-479-7310

Jackie Walsh Day Care
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-6430

Tracy's Tiny Tots Child Care
Chapman, KS 67431
Phone: 785-922-6276

Munchkin Manor Day Care
Enterprise, KS 67441
Phone: 785-263-8717

Roberta Elliott Day Care
Hope, KS 67451
Phone: 785-366-7846

Tonis Little Learners Day Care
Chapman, KS 67431
Phone: 785-922-6164

Haywood Day Care
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-2488

Sally Holley's Day Care
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-3642

Sharon Shaw Day Care
Abilene, KS 67410
Phone: 785-263-1026

GEARY COUNTY

1. Number of employers within the county: There are more than 32 employers located in Geary County. Seventeen of them are manufacturing and 5 are major employers.
2. Types of jobs within the county: Jobs in Geary County range from Manufacturing, Banking, Communications, Engineering, Customer Services, Public Works, and Education.
3. Access to job information and employers within the county: Access to job information can be found by going to <http://www.indeed.com/l-Geary-County,-KS-jobs.html>, <http://www.kansasworks.com/> or <http://www.dailyu.com>,
4. Access to housing information: Access to housing information can be found by going to http://www.homes.com/Real_Estate/KS/County/GEARY or <http://www.apartmentratings.com/rate/KS.html>
5. Cost of living within the county:

Cities:	Food	Utilities	Miscellaneous	Overall	United States
Junction City	94	89	96	83	100
Grandview Plaza	94	89	96	78	100
Milford	94	89	96	91	100

Our cost of living indices are based on a US average of 100. An amount below 100 means Geary County, KS is cheaper than the US average. A cost of living index above 100 means Geary County, KS is more expensive. Overall, Geary County, KS cost of living is 84. Source: <http://www.bestplaces.net/county/kansas/geary>

6. Number and types of schools available within the county: There are 14 elementary schools, 2 middle schools, 1 high school, and St. Xavier Catholic School PreK-12 located in Geary County.

Custer Hill Elementary School
6344 Hampton Place
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-4320

Fort Riley Elementary School
104 Morris Ave.
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-4450

Morris Hill Elementary School
4410 1st Division Road
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-4650

Ware Elementary School
6975 Thomas Avenue
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-4600

Jefferson Elementary School
4720 Jackson Ave.
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-4550

Eisenhower Elementary School
1625 St. Marys Road
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-717-4340

Franklin Elementary School
410 W 2nd Street
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-717-4380

Grandview Elementary School
109 E Grandview Drive
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-717-4470

Lincoln Elementary School
300 Lincoln School Drive
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-717-4570

Sheridan Elementary School
429 W Ash Street
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-717-4670

Spring Valley Elementary School
1601 Hickory Lane
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-717-4790

Washington Elementary School
1500 N Washington Street
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-717-4690

Westwood Elementary School
1600 N Eisenhower
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-717-4150

Milford Elementary School
PO Box 76
Milford, KS 66514
Phone: 785-717-4171

Fort Riley Middle School
4020 1st Division Road
Fort Riley, KS 66442
Phone: 785-717-4500

Junction City Middle School
700 Wildcat Lane
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-717-4400

Junction City High School
900 N Eisenhower
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-717-4200

St. Xavier Catholic School PreK-12
200 N Washington
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-238-2841

7. Types of daycare providers available in Geary County:

All Most Home Child Care
1407 Settcast Circle
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-761-0064

Church of Deliverance Day Care
1524 N Jefferson Street
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-762-4745

Loving Arms Child Care
1531 St. Marys Road
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-238-2767

Kansas Kids Day Care & Preschool
110 N Eisenhower
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-762-4338

Jan's Licensed Day Care
605 W 8th Street
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-762-7717

Neighborhood Child Care Center
227 W 7th Street
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-238-2321

Patty's Play House
615 W 3rd Street
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-238-5008

Building Blocks Day Care
1233 Caroline Avenue
Junction City, KS 66441
785-762-5367

K B Kids Day Care
301 Susan Lane
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-238-4954

Rumpson Child Care Center
914 Grant Avenue
Junction City, KS 66441
Phone: 785-210-2336

SALINE COUNTY

1. Number of employers within the county: There are more than 61 employers located in the county. Manufacturing is the predominant industry in Salina. Agriculture transportation is also a major industry, and Salina's grain elevators are visible from miles away. This agrarian emphasis is even reflected in a local Catholic Church, Sacred Heart Cathedral, which is built in white cylindrical shapes intriguingly like grain silos. However, Salina has several other important employers. The city also has a strong manufacturing base. Tony's Pizza, a Schwan Food Company brand, has operations in Salina. Tony's makes consumer retail frozen pizzas as well as food intended for school cafeterias and other institutions. Additionally, Philips Lighting, Exide Battery, Great Plains Manufacturing (farm equipment), and Eldorado National (commercial bus manufacturer) all have a presence in the community.
2. Types of jobs within the county: Financial services, Retail representatives, Physical Therapist, Accounting, Truck Drivers, Audiologist, Avon representatives, Production Supervisors, Occupational Therapist, Restaurant Manager, and Machinist.
3. Access to job information and employers within the county: Access to job information in Saline County can be found by going to <http://www.saline.org> or <http://www.kansasworks.com/>.
4. Access to housing information: Access to housing information can be found by going to http://www.homes.com/Real_Estate/KS/County/SALINE or <http://www.apartmentratings.com/rate/KS.html>.
5. Cost of living within the county:

Cities:	Food	Utilities	Miscellaneous	Overall	United States
Salina	90	90	92	86	100
Solomon	90	90	92	102	100
Assaria	90	90	92	86	100
Gypsum	90	90	92	82	100
Brookville	90	90	92	83	100

Smolan	90	90	92	83	100
New Cambria	90	90	92	101	100

Our cost of living indices are based on a US average of 100. An amount below 100 means Saline County, KS is cheaper than the US average. A cost of living index above 100 means Saline County, KS is more expensive. Overall, Saline County, KS cost of living is 89. Source:

<http://www.bestplaces.net/county/kansas/saline>

6. Number and types of schools available within the county: There are 8 elementary schools, 2 middle schools, and 2 high schools located in Saline County.

Grace E. Stewart Elementary School
2123 Roach Street
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-309-4450

Cottonwood Elementary School
215 S Phillips
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-309-4600

Heusner Elementary School
1300 Norton Street
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-309-4200

Coronado Elementary School
518 Neal Street
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-309-4100

Meadowlark Ridge Elementary School
220 Glen
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-309-4300

Oakdale Elementary School
811 E Iron
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-309-4310

Schilling Elementary School
3121 Canterbury
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-309-4400

Sunset Elementary School
1510 W Republic
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-309-4521

Lakewood Middle School
1135 Lakewood Circle
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-309-4000

Salina South Middle School
2040 S 4th Street
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-309-3900

Salina Central High School
650 E Crawford
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-309-3500

Salina South High School
730 E Magnolia
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-309-3700

7. Types of daycare providers available in Saline County:

Salina Child Care
634 E Ash Street
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-825-5235

Trina's Tiny Tots Day Care
500 S College Avenue
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-826-1728

A Sweet Lit'l Academy
1107 State Street
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-825-8696

A Sweet Lil Academy Child Care
611 N 9th Street
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-827-3090

Sharon's Sharing & Caring
663 S 9th Street
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-827-3773

Love-N-Learn Daycare
232 E Cloud Street
Salina, KS 67401
Phone: 785-827-4822